



# Elementary Teacher Position – Sangre de Cristo School District

*Join Our Thunderbird Family for the 2026-2027 School Year*

**Location:** Mosca, CO

**Position Type:** Full-Time

**School Year:** 2026-2027

## The Opportunity

Are you a passionate educator who thrives in a close-knit community? Sangre de Cristo School District is seeking a dynamic, student-centered Elementary Teacher to join our "Thunderbird" family. We pride ourselves on small class sizes, a supportive rural environment, and a commitment to excellence "under the peaks."

## Key Responsibilities

- **Instructional Excellence:** Plan and deliver engaging, standards-aligned lessons in core subjects (Reading, Writing, Math, Science, and Social Studies).
- **Data-Driven Growth:** Use formal and informal assessments to differentiate instruction, ensuring every student—from those needing intervention to those seeking enrichment—reaches their potential.
- **Classroom Culture:** Foster a safe, inclusive, and positive classroom environment rooted in mutual respect and the district's core values.
- **Collaboration:** Work closely with a dedicated team of teachers, specialists, and administrators to support the "whole child."
- **Community Connection:** Maintain open, proactive communication with parents and guardians to support student success.

## Qualifications

- **Education:** Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education or a related field.

- **Licensure:** Valid Colorado Initial or Professional Teacher License with an Elementary Education endorsement (or eligibility to obtain one).
- **Skills:** Strong classroom management, proficiency in integrating educational technology, and a "can-do" rural school spirit.

## Why Join Sangre de Cristo?

- **Competitive Rural Salary:** Competitive pay scale with credit given for prior years of experience.
- **Benefits:** Comprehensive health, dental, and vision insurance; PERA retirement contributions.
- **The "Valley" Advantage:** Enjoy a 4-day school week (Monday–Thursday), allowing for a healthy work-life balance and long weekends to explore the Great Sand Dunes and surrounding mountains.
- **Environment:** Small class sizes that allow for meaningful 1-on-1 student interaction.

## How to Apply

Interested candidates should submit the following to the District Office:

- A completed Certified Application (available on the district website).
- A current Resume and Cover Letter.
- Copies of Transcripts and Teaching License.
- Three letters of professional recommendation.

**Contact:** Paula Fritz/Jenna Crowder

**Website:** [www.sangreschools.org](http://www.sangreschools.org)

Sangre de Cristo School District is an equal opportunity employer.